

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.

769.303

In Re Application Of: **Eric REPELOURDE**

Serial No. **09/998,502**

Filing Date **November 30, 2001**

Examiner **Andre L. Jackson**

Group Art Unit **3677**

Invention:

VARIABLE ALIGNMENT ZIPPER FOR RECLOSEABLE BAGS

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of August 28, 2003 above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: July 3, 2003 until: October 3, 2003

The fee for the extension of time is **\$950** and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-1145**
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1145**


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Dated: **October 1, 2003**

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